

begin accepting high-level nuclear waste; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

### CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. SIMPSON:

H.R. 1666.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The Congress enacts this bill pursuant to Clauses 1 and 18 of Section 8 of Article I referring to general welfare authority and necessary and proper authority.

By Mrs. CAPITO:

H.R. 1667.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The Commerce Clause, Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the Constitution states that Congress shall have power to regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.

By Mr. FITZPATRICK:

H.R. 1668.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article One, Section 8, Clause One:

The Congress shall have Power To lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States;

By Mr. ACKERMAN:

H.R. 1669.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1 Section 8 Clause 1

By Ms. BORDALLO:

H.R. 1670.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 14 of Section 8 of Article I of the Constitution.

By Mr. BRALEY of Iowa:

H.R. 1671.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the United States Constitution.

By Mrs. CAPPS:

H.R. 1672.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution.

By Mrs. FUDGE:

H.R. 1673.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 7

The Congress shall have Power . . . To establish Post Offices and post roads.

By Mr. GALLEGLY:

H.R. 1674.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18 of US Constitution, to make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

By Mr. LATHAM:

H.R. 1675.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, clause 1 of the United States Constitution "The Congress shall have Power To lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts, and Excises".

By Mrs. MALONEY:

H.R. 1676.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 3, which reads: To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with Indian Tribes.

By Mrs. MILLER of Michigan:

H.R. 1677.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The Constitutional authority for this legislation is found in Article I, Section 8.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey:

H.R. 1678.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The constitutional authority on which this bill is based is Congress's power under Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the Constitution.

By Ms. TSONGAS:

H.R. 1679.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The constitutional authority of Congress to enact this legislation is provided by Article I, section 8, of the United States Constitution (clauses 12, 13, 14, 16, and 18), which grants Congress the power to raise and support an Army; to provide and maintain a Navy; to make rules for the government and regulation of the land and naval forces; to provide for organizing, arming, and disciplining the militia; and to make all laws necessary and proper for carrying out the foregoing powers.

By Mr. WEINER:

H.R. 1680.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution.

### ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 56: Mr. LANCE and Mr. PAULSEN.

H.R. 58: Mr. BACA, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky, Ms. FOXX, Mr. HANNA, and Mr. GRAVES of Georgia.

H.R. 114: Mr. WALDEN.

H.R. 198: Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California.

H.R. 218: Mr. HONDA.

H.R. 282: Mr. NUNNELEE.

H.R. 303: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. VISCLOSKEY, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. PLATTS, and Mr. LARSEN of Washington.

H.R. 361: Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. HARPER, and Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky.

H.R. 374: Mr. FRANKS of Arizona.

H.R. 388: Mr. BACHUS.

H.R. 396: Mr. RYAN of Ohio.

H.R. 409: Mr. TIERNEY and Ms. BROWN of Florida.

H.R. 420: Mr. GRAVES of Georgia, Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky, Mr. HANNA, Mr. HENSARLING, Mr. BARTLETT, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. NUGENT, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. BACA, and Mrs. EMERSON.

H.R. 435: Mr. RIGELL, Mrs. ADAMS, and Mr. WALDEN.

H.R. 436: Mr. NUNNELEE and Mr. MULVANEY.

H.R. 451: Mr. STIVERS, Mr. COBLE, Mr. CUELLAR, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York.

H.R. 452: Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. GRIFFIN of Arkansas, Mr. BUCHSON, Mrs. BACHMANN, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. HUELSKAMP, Mr. DENT, Mr. PALAZZO, and Mr. GUTHRIE.

H.R. 459: Mr. CULBERSON and Mr. GARDNER.

H.R. 466: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. COSTA, Mr. PAULSEN, Mr. WU, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. RICHARDSON, Mr. FARR, Mr. PIERLUISI, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. COFFMAN of Colorado, Mr. MICHAUD, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. SABLAN, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, Mr. BUCHANAN, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Ms. HIRONO, Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. COSTELLO, Ms. LEE, Mr. CHAFFETZ, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. MORAN, and Mr. ISRAEL.

H.R. 478: Mr. BACHUS.

H.R. 499: Mr. AUSTRIA.

H.R. 535: Mr. MARKEY.

H.R. 539: Ms. CHU, Mr. BACA, Mr. WU, and Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California.

H.R. 573: Mr. TIERNEY.

H.R. 601: Ms. HIRONO, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. COURTNEY, Ms. DELAURO, and Mr. BISHOP of New York.

H.R. 605: Mr. NUNNELEE, Mr. SCALISE, and Mr. COFFMAN of Colorado.

H.R. 616: Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia.

H.R. 640: Mr. VAN HOLLEN.

H.R. 651: Mr. TIERNEY and Mr. MARKEY.

H.R. 674: Mr. HULTGREEN, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. HUIZENGA of Michigan, Mr. WOLF, Mrs. SCHMIDT, Mr. PITTS, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. MICHAUD, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. TIBERI, and Mr. TERRY.

H.R. 675: Mr. AUSTRIA.

H.R. 700: Mr. PEARCE.

H.R. 709: Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. BACA, and Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 721: Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. ALTMIRE, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. LOEBSACK, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. TIBERI, and Mr. WALDEN.

H.R. 733: Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, and Mr. ENGEL.

H.R. 735: Mr. SOUTHERLAND and Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

H.R. 740: Mr. HOLT, Mr. TIBERI, and Mr. WEST.

H.R. 822: Mr. MCCLINTOCK, Mr. GRIFFIN of Arkansas, Mr. TIPTON, Mr. WALDEN, Mr. GOSAR, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. NUNNELEE, Mr. COHEN, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. LABRADOR, Mr. HULTGREEN, Mr. RENACCI, Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. BASS of New Hampshire, Mr. GRAVES of Georgia, and Mr. MCHEENRY.

H.R. 831: Mr. LANGEVIN and Ms. BORDALLO.

H.R. 853: Mr. POLIS.

H.R. 854: Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. KEATING, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. COHEN, Mr. PIERLUISI, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. CICCILLINE, Mr. COOPER, and Mr. MEEKS.

H.R. 865: Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. BOREN, and Mr. CICCILLINE.

H.R. 878: Mr. MEEKS.

H.R. 879: Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. CALVERT, and Mr. HECK.

H.R. 881: Mr. NUNES.

H.R. 905: Mr. DENT and Mr. ALTMIRE.

H.R. 913: Mr. VISCLOSKEY and Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina.

H.R. 920: Mr. CANSECO, Ms. BUERKLE, Mr. FLEMING, Mr. PITTS, and Mr. STUTZMAN.

H.R. 926: Ms. BORDALLO.

H.R. 942: Ms. BERKLEY.

H.R. 948: Mr. BOREN and Mr. HONDA.

H.R. 959: Mr. GRIMM.

H.R. 972: Mr. CHAFFETZ, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. HELLER, Mr. DUNCAN of Tennessee, Mr. CRAWFORD, and Mr. FLORES.

H.R. 1009: Ms. MATSUI.

H.R. 1025: Mr. SCHIFF.

H.R. 1041: Mr. TIERNEY and Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania.